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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated May 18, 2004 in connection with the above-identified application to which a response is due by August 18, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. The Applicants have given careful consideration to the grounds for rejection as contained in the Office Action and offer the following remarks in response. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the pending claims.

Also included herein are the following Exhibits:

Exhibit A: Sonis. *Oral Oncology* 34: 39-43 (1998).

Exhibit B: Asano, et al. *J. Pharmacol. Exp. Ther.* 268: 1032-39 (1994).

Exhibit C: Sonis, et al. Oral Surg. Oral Med. Oral Pathol. 74: 749-55 (1992).